

A LEADER OF MEN IS ONE WHO SEES WHICH WAY THE CROWD IS GOING AND STEPS IN AHEAD.

This Week

Paragraphs of the Week

Six persons were killed and two seriously injured late Saturday night near Holden when an explosion of gelignite, a form of dynamite, occurred in a light truck.

A crowd estimated at 50,000 persons witnessed the aerobatic rendezvous in Augusta Sunday.

En route to their homes in New York and Pennsylvania from Maine summer camps Wednesday, 200 boys escaped injury in a train wreck, which occurred near New Gloucester. The accident was caused by damaged rails and the weight of the engine caused the tracks to spread. The track had been struck by a steam shovel which was being towed through an underpass by trucks.

The United States submarine *Squalus* again sank in the Atlantic Monday within two miles of the Isles of Shoals, after being lifted for the second time since May 23. Salvaging operations were nearly completed.

President Roosevelt has decided to proclaim Thanksgiving in 1940 the third Thursday in November; making announcement now to permit calendar makers to act accordingly.

Walter and Francis P. Murphy Jr., sons of Governor Murphy of New Hampshire, were seriously injured in an automobile accident on the Daniel Webster highway near Manchester, N. H., Monday.

German troops encircling the borders of Poland expect war any moment. It is reported that Poland is ready for a peaceful settlement but any aggression will be resisted.

Four foreign liners were ordered to remain in their Hudson River piers the first of the week to be searched by the United States custom men for arms in accordance with orders by the President, who has stated all foreign ships are to be searched to make certain they are not equipped at sea for offensive war purposes. Roosevelt believes failure to pass neutrality act by Senate at the last session of Congress is a factor in the European crisis.

The Italian government has raised the price of gasoline to 95 cents a gallon by a decree designed to conserve it for possible war use.

The French government has ordered all railroads in France turned over to the army, completing preparations for possible war.

No public comment has been made on the content of Hitler's reply to Great Britain's statement of proposition in the international crisis.

BEAN FAMILY REUNION HELD AT SONGO POND

A reunion of the Bean family was held Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bean at the Bean Pot and Bean Pot Annex at Songo Pond.

A picnic dinner was served at noon and a social day was enjoyed. Will C. Bean of Albany, N. Y., was elected president and Mrs. Dorothy Schmidt of Strong was elected secretary and treasurer for the coming year. The reunion will be held with Fred Bean next year.

Guests were Fred F. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Grover, Frederick Grover, Miss Hazel Grover, Miss Florice Grover, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Luxton, Carroll Luxton, Dr. and freshments to assist at the three point meeting are Madeline Dudley, Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Minnie Bennett, and Katheryn Tracy Bean, Miss Cora M. Bean, Charles D. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bean, Roberta Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Gunther, Patricia Gunther, Howard Gunther, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Scott, Mrs. Mary Wight, Susanne Wight, Miss Ina Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDonald, Marshall McDonald, Edward McDonald Jr., Miss Pauline Bean, Miss Jane Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, Gardiner Smith, Charles Smith, Homer Smith Jr., Miss Virginia Smith, Miss Betty Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bean, Reona Bean, Elmer Bean Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bean, Miss Marjorie Keane, Richard Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jordan.

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ANSON MAN HELD FOR CCC BREAK

Henry H. Spencer of Anson was arraigned in the Norway Municipal Court Tuesday charged with breaking, entering and larceny at the storehouse of the CCC camp at Hastings. He pleaded guilty, and being unable to furnish \$1,000 bonds, is held for appearance before the grand jury at the November term of Superior Court.

The break occurred early last week and the arrest was made at the Stow CCC camp Monday by Sheriff Francis and Deputy Sheriff Frank Hunt. It is said that articles taken from the storehouse were valued at \$255.

VASHAW—FLANDERS

Mrs. Elizabeth Flanders and Thomas W. Vashaw were quietly married Aug. 16th in Fryeburg by the Rev. Wilfred G. Rice.

Mrs. Vashaw was formerly the widow of the late Perley A. Flanders and has lived for many years in Bethel. Mr. Vashaw is a well known lumberman, having worked for 46 years for the Brown Company of Berlin, being one of their most trusted and efficient employees.

The bride wore navy blue with white accessories and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Vashaw left by motor for a honeymoon trip to Montreal, Quebec City and up the St. Lawrence River country.

On their return they will reside in their residence in Skillington, Bethel. The couple are well known both in New Hampshire and Maine, where their many friends wish them a long life of happiness and success.

GRANGES TO MEET AT NEWRY BRYANT POND AND RUMFORD

Bean River Grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening with the Overseer, Arthur Bennett, presiding in the absence of the Master. There were nine officers present. One application for membership was received. Plans for the three point meeting were discussed.

On Saturday evening, Sept. 2, Franklin Grange will come and confer the first and second degrees. Rumford Grange will furnish the program and we hope they may bring candidates too.

The program for the evening was in charge of the Home and Community Welfare Committee with Mrs. Etta Brinck as Chairman, and was as follows:

Men's Chorus Reading, Edward Bennett

Piano solo, Elizabeth Wight

Remarks, Lecturer L. E. Wight

Solo, encore, Arthur Dudley

Tableau, "Independence"

Violin solo, encore, Madeline Dudley

Men's Trio, Ernest F. Bisbee

JOHN H. HOWE

CARROLL E. ABBOTT

Selectmen of the town of Bethel

A true copy, ATTEST:

WALTER E. BARTLETT Constable

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore returned

Sunday from a trip along the coast

of Maine and Massachusetts.

Mrs. William Higgins of Detroit,

Mich., was in town last Wednesday visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Hazel Nadeau of Waterville

is this week's guest of her sister,

Mrs. Wallace Coolidge, and family.

Mrs. Edna Smith, Mrs. Chester

Chapman and Carlos Smith were in

Togus Wednesday to get Mr. Chapman,

who has been a patient in the

Veterans' Hospital there for 10

days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crockett re-

turned Wednesday after spending

a few days at the World's Fair.

Miss Hazel Fuller or Upton was

an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs.

Reona Bean, Elmer Bean Jr., Mr.

P. C. Lapham Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of

Derry, N. H., were weekend guests

of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tyler.

The

EAST BETHEL FARM BUILDINGS IN FIRE

Main House of George Haines, Stock and House Furnishings, Saved Saturday Morning

The Bethel fire department was

called about 6:30 Saturday morning

to fight a fire which threatened to

destroy the farm buildings of

George Haines, formerly the James

Swan place, at East Bethel. With

in three minutes the pumper and a

skeleton crew of seven men includ-

ing foremen were on their way.

On their arrival the fire was well

into the ell of the house, having

destroyed a large barn, stable and

shed, but after a fight of over an

hour the blaze was under control in

a blind attic of the main house.

When discovered the fire was

coming through the roof of the

barn. All the stock was saved and

the furniture removed from the

house, but some 60 tons of hay in

the barn and all farming tools,

stored in the basement were lost.

The loss has been estimated at

\$5,000, which was partially covered

by insurance.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL STATE ELECTION

September 11, 1939

STATE OF MAINE

County of Oxford ss. Town of Bethel

To Walter E. Bartlett

Constable of the Town of Bethel

You are hereby required in the

name of the State of Maine, to notify

and warn the inhabitants of the

Town of Bethel qualified to vote,

to assemble at Odeon Hall on the

second Monday of September, the

same being the eleventh day of said

month, in the year of our Lord one

thousand nine hundred and thirty-

nine at Nine o'clock in the fore-

noon, then and there to give in

their votes upon the following

question:

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

"Shall the constitution be amend-

ed as proposed by a resolution of

the legislature providing for an in-

crease in the amount of state bonds

to be issued for the construction of

state highways heretofore designat-

ed as a part of the state high-

way system or to such as may

hereafter be so designated, and in-

trustate, Interstate and Interna-

tional bridges?"

The polls will be open at Nine

o'clock in the forenoon and will be

closed at Seven o'clock in the af-

ternoon. The selectmen will be in

session at their office on Thursday,

September 7th—Friday, September

8th—Saturday, September 9th, 1939

from 1 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon

for the purpose of correcting the

list of voters.

HEREOF, FAIL NOT and have

you there and then this warrant

with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands in the

Town of Bethel this thirty-first day

of August in the year of our Lord

one thousand nine hundred and

thirty-nine.

ERNEST F. BISBEE

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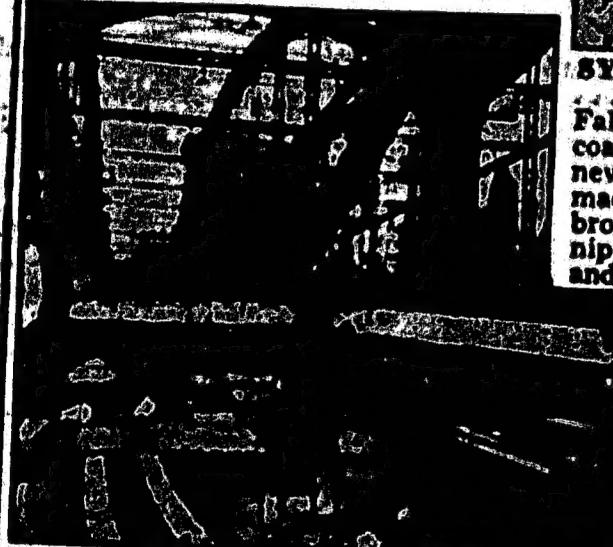
is this week's guest of her sister,

Mrs. Wallace Coolidge, and family.

People and Spots in the Late News



NO. 1 FARMER . . . Equipping farm machinery with pneumatic tires is big factor in making farm work easier, speeding production and lengthening life of equipment, according to Louis J. Taber, National Grange Master, shown at tractor's wheel in Goodrich World's Fair arena during Farm Week celebration.



SYNTHETIC STYLE . . . Fashion experts at Fall showings saw this coat of mokkasin-new synthetic material made to simulate broadtail fur—with nipped-in waistline and flowing skirt.

BRIDGES OF TOMORROW . . . Rivers will be spanned in future with lightweight materials such as duralumin and aluminum, because today's bridges use up to five-sixths of strength supporting their own weight, scientists heard from Prof. John B. Wilbur of M. I. T., in Boston. Worker demonstrates lightness of aluminum beam for Pittsburgh bridge.

HANOVER

Miss Florence Howe, who underwent surgery recently is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Auvern Lapham.

Mrs. Genie Daly of Exeter and Portland spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders.

Mrs. Minnie Thompson has resumed her duties at Roberts' Furniture Store after enjoying a week's vacation at Rochester, N. H. and York Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders and Mrs. Genie Daly motored to Deerfield Theatre Tuesday to see Rudy Vallee in "The Man in Possession."

Angus McPherson has moved his family into the Thomas house in this village.

Miss Georgia Abbott, Miss Eloise Abbott and her father, Virgil Abbott, of Rumford dined at Sunny Ridge Farm Sunday.

A birthday supper was given Wallace Saunders at the home of his parents Wednesday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders and son, Mrs. Genie Daly, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Merrill of Rumford, the honor guest and wife and the host and hostess.

Miss Barbara Cummings is enjoying a vacation at her home. On Saturday evening, she tendered a surprise wedding anniversary party to her father and mother. Cards were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Barker, and the hon-



"BACK LATER" . . . Congress over, the President hung a "Back After Vacation" sign on White House and left for summer home at Campobello, where he is shown with Franklin, Jr., and latter's wife.



"BLACK-OUT" . . . London women such as air raid precautions warden shown here, cooperated in recent British "black-out" when half of England was plunged into darkness as air raid defense test.



NET QUEENS . . . Miss Alice Marble, U. S. and Wimbledon champion (left), took women's Eastern grass court championship in straight sets from Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Fabyan, Tennis score: 6-4, 6-4. Beauty score: even.



or guests for the evening, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cummings, Mrs. Addie Farwell of Bethel was also a guest. Susie Elliott, Susan Martin, Alice Elliott, Eva Hayford, Blanche Weller, Effie Dyer, Elbie Dyke, Mrs. Mildred Lapham, Vice-President; Mrs. Blanch Worcester, Burns and three children, Katherine Elliott, Murle Hinckley, Lydia Martin, Rena Abbott, Stella and Mrs. Marsden at South Paris.

The officers of the Library Association, Mrs. Eva Hayford, President; Mrs. Mildred Lapham, Vice-President; Mrs. Blanch Worcester, Burns and three children, Katherine Elliott, Murle Hinckley, Lydia Martin, Rena Abbott, Stella and Mrs. Marsden at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Holman, son, and Mrs. Lennie Hutchinson were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ida Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Cuvier Hutchinson

BRYANT'S MARKET

FANCY SPRING	CRISCO	1 lb. 18c	3 lb. can 54c
LEG OF LAMB	WHEATIES	1 lb. 27c	2 pkgs. 23c
Oriole Large BOLOGNA	BABY RUTH	1 lb. 19c	5c Candy Bar &
Diamond "Y"	BLUE 'G' COFFEE	1 lb.	23c A 28c Value
FRANKFURTS	P & G SOAP	lb. 19c	4 bars 15c
CRISP CELERY	Good Pal	boh. 11c	
Thompson Seedless	MARSHMALLOWS	lb. 15c	
G R A P E S	Good Housekeeper	2 lbs. 15c	
MOXIE	PAPER NAPKINS	2 pkgs. 15c	
Dutch Creek All Purpose	Kitchen Charm		
COCOA	WAX PAPER	125 ft. roll 16c	
2 lb. carton 17c	PAPER TOILET TISSUE	29c	

I.G.A. STORES

EAST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. George Haines met with a serious loss Saturday morning when the barn, stable and shed were destroyed by fire. Together with about 60 tons of hay, all the harness and farming tools valued at over \$500.

The farming tools were under the stable and could have been saved when the people first arrived there if they had been thought of. Everyone was intent on clearing the house before the fire reached that.

All livestock and hens were saved but the fire had gained such headway before being discovered that no one could go back into the barn after the animals were removed.

Furniture, horses, cows, hens, and pigs were taken to the farm on Kimball Hill occupied this summer by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines.

James Haines was in Lewiston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Birchard Russell, Mrs. Ebba Dyke and Mrs. Rose Howe were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes Bettinger of Northhampton, Mass. and Miss Carol Bettinger of Rochester, N. Y. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.

Henry F. Howe, of West Springfield, Mass. was a week-end visitor of John Howe and family. William W. Howe and Donald Howe of West Springfield are this week's guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Howe.

Mrs. Floribel Nevens and Lendall were Saturday night guests of Mrs. James Haines.

Charles Reed is confined to his bed as a result of over exertion at the fire Saturday morning.

Mrs. Reed Tracy and granddaughter, Joyce Tracy, are guests of her sister, Mrs. Edgar Coolidge, and family.

Lewis Curtis is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Lester McGowen, and Gail Curtis is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Marsden at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Holman, son, and Mrs. Lennie Hutchinson were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ida Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Cuvier Hutchinson

and daughter Ava were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reed Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Villa Valcour went to Springfield, Mass. Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Faulkinham of Andover were Sunday guests of Mrs. S. B. Newton.

Miss Muriel Hall of Bethel, Miss Mary Stearns of Hanover were guests at a joint birthday party of Robert Billings and Bernard Bartlett Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Bartlett.

Homer Bartlett of Lexington, Mass. was in town Sunday and the families of Homer and Leo Bartlett, Mrs. Gladys Tyler and Mrs. Eva Swan enjoyed a reunion at Locks Pond Sunday. Mrs. Homer Bartlett and children returned to Lexington, Mass. Sunday afternoon after spending a month with Mrs. Gladys Tyler and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Bean were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Graves in Rockland over the week-end. James Billings has gone to Fryeburg where he is to pick corn.

Tracy Dorey is boarding himself at Charles Reed's.

Mrs. Floribel Nevens and son Lendall went to Bethel Sunday evening to remain for a while in the F. I. French house.

Sunday visitors at G. L. Haines' were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lapham, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lapham of Hanover, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blake, two children and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Abbott. Mrs. Abbott remained over night to assist her mother in straightening out the furniture, etc., which were hurriedly moved there Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines attended the Rowe reunion at Frank Hayes' at Bryant Pond Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Haines were in Berlin Friday.

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The CITIZEN OFFICE

CAMERAGRAPH



LATEST ADDITION to American Tanker Fleet. The S.S. E. J. Henry, The Atlantic Refining Company's new 18,000-ton oil carrier, slides down the ways at Elizabethport. The number of tankers flying the American flag has grown from less than 50 in 1914 to approximately 500 today.

PRECIOUS WATER! This Elizabethtown, N. Y., farmer guards his well which has been subjected to night raids during the recent dry spell which has gripped the northeastern states.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stone were at her parents over the week-end. Their little daughter returned home with them after staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Clough and

family went to Augusta Sunday to the Maine Aero Rendezvous.

Clarence Kimball has returned at Bethel with his oxen and hauling it to the Parsons place where he recently moved.

The Edwards Reunion will be held at the Songo Lake Pavilion Sunday, Sept. 3.

George Brown has returned to A.

B. Kimball's to work.

Asa Bartlett is doing his haying at Bethel with his oxen and hauling it to the Parsons place where he recently moved.

Leslie Kimball and Hollis Grindle were in Berlin Friday.

Mrs. Maud Grindle is caring for Mrs. Curtis Winslow at Middle Intervale.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball were in Rumford Sunday and called to see Mrs. Maud Grindle at Middle Intervale on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Grindle visited Mrs. Alice Roche and daughters Ruth and Arlene, Friday evening.

Mrs. Mabel Beckler is staying at the Winslow camp for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Foster spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Martin at Bridgton Saturday. They went to West Scarborough to visit their son, Horace Bryant, and family Sunday morning returning home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle and son Donald were in Rumford Sunday. They returned by the way of Milton and visited relatives in Locke Mills.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kimball, Lilla and Edith Stearns attended Grange meeting at Norway Monday night.

Walter Tyler is in the Norway Hospital at this writing with infection in his arm.

Mrs. Joan Hill has a position in Rockport, Mass., cooking in an inn. C. M. Fullerton is working on the road.

Leon Kimball is getting out field spar.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Arthur Wardwell and Alice Andrews were at the airport at Augusta Sunday.

Robert and Rachel Hill will attend high school in Massachusetts this fall.

CENTER LOVELL

The annual Stearns-Russell cousin party was held in the spacious barn of the old Homestead Saturday, Aug. 26, Judge and Mrs. Blanche Russell Dallenger being hosts.

After a bounteous repast the older male members of the party spent the afternoon in conversing together, while the ladies played contract bridge. The young people went for a swim in Kezar Lake. There were about 50 present.

Elmer Davis was taken to the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, Friday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brooks, daughter, and Monte Ware have returned to their home in Vineland, N. J., also Jane Halford has returned to New York and the Camp Mudjekeewis girls left Sunday.

Wallace Chubb from Missouri is visiting his father, Percival Chubb, at the Chubb Homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huston and two children from Auburn called on her brothers, Farnham and Curtis Brooks, Sunday.

Mark Turner from New York is with his family at Judge Dallenger's.

Louise Allen is caring for Mrs. Howard Allen and infant son.

Sally Sherburne from Lexington, Mass., has been visiting her niece, Dot Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Stearns and two children, Mrs. Herbert McKeen, Sarah Merrill and Mrs. Carleton Merrill called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horr at South Paris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodolph McAllister, Lewis McAllister and son Everett were in Lewiston Sunday to see Elmer Davis.

Tommy Sherburne spent Sunday with his mother, Gertrude Sherburne, at his sister's, Mrs. Gus Helm's.

EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Edwards and Arlene Edwards of Somerville, Mass., have returned home after spending a week at camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Nelson of Iowa City, Iowa are guests of Mrs. O. G. Farrington.

Bernal McAllister has gone to Boston to enter the Deaconess Hospital for treatment for an injury received in an automobile accident about three weeks ago.

The boys and counselors of Trout Lake Camp all left for their respective homes Friday. This means our summer season is about over for

this year.

Rev. George Owen of Hyde Park, Mass., joined Mrs. Owen at Camp Margaret Sunday and will stay until Sept. 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and son, Richard, returned to their home in Avon, Mass. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Farrington, who have been visiting friends for the past three weeks, returned to their cottage at East Stoneham, Monday.

Mrs. Sarah Brown spent the week-end at her bungalow at No. Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Files and children were in Gilford Sunday.

Kathleen Murphy, who has been working at Oxford for the summer, is at home for a few days. She is to enter the Maine General Hospital Sept. 1st, to train for a nurse.

Miss Ina Good spent the week-end in Portland.

ALBANY VALLEY RD.

Mrs. Eva Barker and children called on Mrs. Annie Bumpus Friday afternoon.

Miss Jane Annis has been ill with the mumps.

Harry Logan and friends from Waterford attended the Maine Aero Rendezvous at Augusta Sunday.

Warren and Stanley Lapham called at Harlan Bumpus' one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston, of Strong, were Sunday callers at the Bumpus home.

Mrs. Mildred Wilbur and Dick Lawrence spent Friday evening at Mrs. Carrie Logan's.

Arthur Hazelton, Joe Payne and Herbert Kittredge attended the movies at Bridgton Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hall of Freeport spent the week-end at Mr. camp here.

John Adams was at Ben Inman's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Morrison were Sunday callers at her mother's, Mrs. Jean Annis'.

Arthur Hazelton took Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lapham, Miss Myrtle Lapham and Stanley Lapham to the Maine Aero Rendezvous at Augusta Sunday.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 1939

40 YEARS AGO in the NEWS

August 30, 1899

J. A. Thurston is doing a lively business at his mill at Swan's Corner. He has given employment to 20 men most of the time during the past year. His principal business is manufacturing dowels, spool stock, novelty turnings and hardwood shoo.

Dr. Gardiner L. Sturtevant of Fryeburg will open an office in Bethel in a few weeks.

F. B. Howe has finished the new schoolhouses, and we are pleased to note that the work has been done in a most satisfactory manner. Middle Intervale and Northwest, Bethel, now have two of the best schoolhouses in town.

GROVER HILL

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jordan and daughter, Eleanor, from Mechanic Falls were Sunday guests at M. F. Tyler's.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews and Philip Wight Jr. from Norway were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Whitman, Sunday.

Mrs. Constance D. Alger, Bronxville, N. Y. has been a recent guest at N. A. Stearns'.

True Brown is making extensive repairs on his home. John Hazelton and S. H. Browne have been employed there.

Roy Andrews and family from Gorham, N. H. were Sunday dinner guests at C. L. Whitman's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Davis of West Paris called at N. A. Stearns', Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Burton Abbott spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Haines, her parents, who suffered a serious loss by fire, Saturday morning.

Marie Mills from Bethel Hill has been the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. F. A. Mundt.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Mrs. Lawrence Kimball, who has been chief swimming counselor at a girl's camp in Jefferson, Maine, has returned home for a few weeks.

Oliver Fales has gone to Freeport, where he is doing some carpenter work for friends.

Carey Stevens and Ben Kimball are working for Ernest Buck on his house.

Mrs. Curtis Winslow's mother is caring for her during her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Buck and family spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Leona Buck, on Swan's Hill.

Rev. and Mrs. William T. Green and Harold Green were in Berlin Saturday.

The Middle Intervale Farm Bureau met Wednesday with Mrs. Ward for their annual flower show. The exhibits were judged by vote of the members. There were five

LEST HE FORGET



classes: children's bouquets, miniature bouquets, wild borders, bouquets in large containers and any kind of bouquet. Miss Mabel Abbott and Mrs. Fannie Carter had charge of the flowers. Several guests were present.

The last service for the summer at the old church will be held this Sunday at 11 a. m.

Harold Green spent Wednesday in South Paris and vicinity.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD LABOR DAY



Shoot holiday fun "on the wing." Don't let subjects pose—and you will get gay, lively snapshots.

LABOR DAY week-end is the last big outdoor holiday of summer. For most of us, it means a trip, a week-end camp, or other special jaunt—and plenty of pictures, to remind us of summer fun during the coming winter months.

Is your camera ready? And have you made your Labor Day plans with a view to picture chances? That's always a good idea when you're planning an excursion—keep the camera in mind, and select a tour route, or holiday spot, that you know is full of picture opportunities.

The more fun and activity you can pack into the week-end, the more snapshot chances you'll have. Whether something is going on, your camera should be ready for action. A roasting-ear picnic, an amusement-park tour, a fishing trip, a mountain hike—all these are chock-full of picture material if you just keep your eyes open and your camera ready.

On a picnic, picture your crowd settling the table and eating—don't wait until they get through. At the pool, or the beach, picture them swimming and diving, or enjoying some other beach sport—not posed on shore.

Watch your exposures, and keep them "in step" with the prevailing light. Along shady streams, there is very little light, so you must use a large lens opening and a slow shutter speed. But on the beach, or when

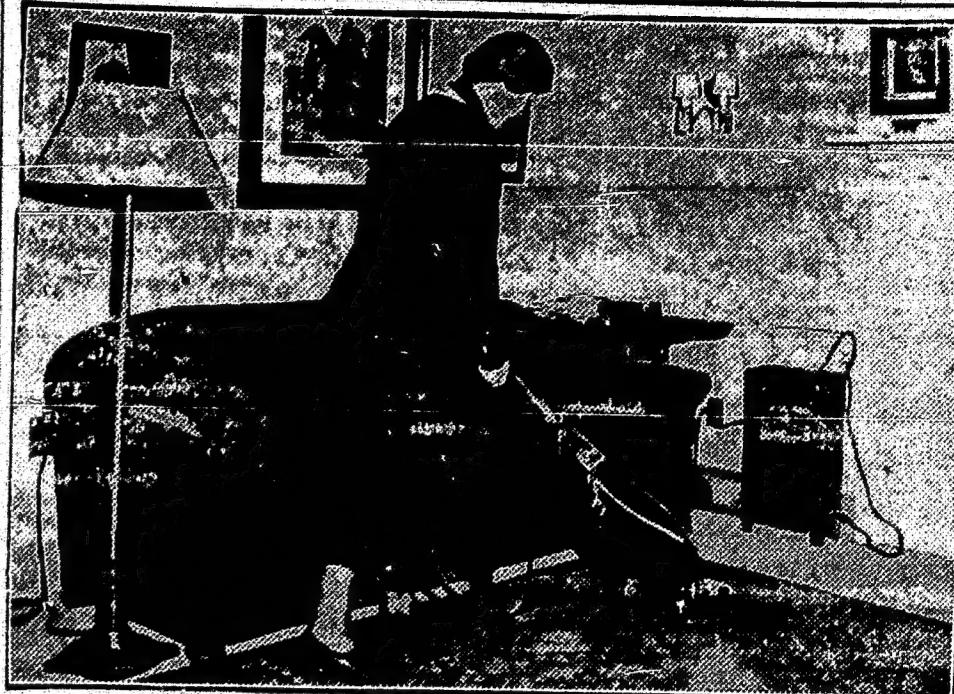
fishing offshore, light is bright and intense—and exposures of 1/50 second at f.11, f.16, and sometimes even f.22 are correct.

When in doubt about exposure, err on the "full" side. Correct exposure is best, but an overexposed film will usually yield a better print than an underexposed film. Good modern films, especially the "chrome" type, have enough latitude to take care of reasonable errors in judging exposure.

So, here's luck. It looks like a great week-end, and I hope you keep your camera as busy as mine will be.

John van Guilder

An Electric Vacuum Cleaner Is a Year-Round Necessity



Vacuum cleaning rugs once a week adds to their life and appearance.

By IRA MILLER

Rural Electrification Bureau

WINTER, fall, spring or summer, the problem of tracked-in sand and grit on the rugs and carpets always is with the housewife, especially on the farm. For, no matter how much care they exercise in cleaning their shoes, the various members of the family carry in a surprisingly large amount of dirt in a surprisingly short time. And, apart from the dull and dingy appearance it gives to the rugs and carpets, this dirt greatly shortens their life by cutting the nap and thus causing worn spots to appear.

Although most of the surface dirt can be removed with a broom or carpet sweeper, the sharp particles of sand and grit—which become embedded at the roots of the nap and, therefore, do the most damage—are not so dislodged. That only can be done, as in the old-fashioned way,

by hanging it on a clothesline or laying it on the grass and beating it with a bamboo or steel beater. Or, as is the modern electrified home, by using a vacuum cleaner which produces only minor wear in comparison with that of normal use.

Those who contemplate buying a vacuum cleaner for the first time, or who are thinking of replacing their old machine with a more modern and efficient one, should not be guided by price alone. For, in general, initial cost is no indication of the efficiency and durability of the machine. In fact, the length of time necessary for efficient cleaning probably is a better buying criterion.

To obtain the best results with any machine, certain precautions must be observed: The cleaner should be operated at a speed of 1.00 to 1.25 feet per second; the nozzle should be adjusted to give good vibration of the rug; and the bag should be emptied after each use of the machine, and thoroughly brushed (inside as well as out) at least once or twice a month. The latter is most important to effective cleaning.

The price of the average vacuum cleaner ranges from \$30 to \$50, with de luxe models selling up to \$80. Even the most expensive vacuum cleaners, if used fifty times a year and assuming a life of but ten years, will cost only about 24 cents a week—two cents for electricity and the balance for the machine (depreciation, interest and repairs). On the same basis, an average-priced machine will cost approximately 12 cents per week.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

The Ladies' Club will hold a special meeting at the Chapel next Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and family and Miss Eugenia Haselton were in Bath Sunday visiting Mrs. Charles Sprague.

Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Gordon and daughter Rachel have been spending a week visiting relatives in Franklin, N. H.

Olin K. Dodge of Greenville is spending some time with his cousin, Mrs. Carl Brown, and family, and is working in the Citizen office.

The first meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce after the summer recess will be held at the Legion Rooms Tuesday evening, Sept. 12.

Dana G. Brooks will enter Bryant & Stratton Business College in Boston Tuesday, where he is enrolled in the business administration course.

Miss Alzena Lord accompanied by Miss Elsie Vall of North Newry is spending this week with Mrs. Frank Vall at Rosebuck Camps, Wilson's Mills.

Mrs. Philip Daye was in Togus Wednesday to visit her husband, who is a patient at the Veterans' Hospital there. Mr. Daye is as comfortable as could be expected considering his condition.

Leslie Poore was guest of honor at a birthday picnic party at Screw Auger Falls Monday. Those present besides Mr. Poore were Mrs. Bernice Spearin, Mrs. Elsie Potter, Miss Arline Potter and Dwight Morrill.

Kenneth Williams of Woburn, Mass., spent the week-end in town with his family at W. F. Clark's. Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family are at the Williams farm in Jay this week and will return to their home in Woburn Tuesday.

Miss Alice Brown of Worcester, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown. Miss Brown has recently returned from a trans-continental trip, on which she was accompanied by Miss Charlotte Storey of Lowell, Mass.

Among places of interest they visited were Yellowstone National Park, Teton National Park, Glacier National Park, Lake Louise and Banff in Canada, Mount Rainier in Washington and the Rocky National Park, which was of particular interest because four miles of its highway is over 12,000 feet elevation. The trip of 9,700 miles was made by automobile and the only difficulties they had were two flat tires.

Miss Margaret Gallant is visiting friends in Frye for a few days.

Mrs. William L. Caldwell of Oxford has been visiting relatives in town.

Osceola Casey and Harry Turner of Buckfield called on C. A. Austin Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Littlehale of Rockland is the guest of Mrs. Tenia Thurston this week.

Miss Elaine Warren has entered the Training School at the C. M. G. Hospital.

J. B. Chapman and daughter Mary Lou were in Portland on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Floribel Nevins and son Lendall have returned to their home in town.

Mrs. Andrew Caine of Berlin was a week-end guest of her sister Mrs. Fred Hamlin.

Irene Wight is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Richard Verville at Haverhill, Mass., for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frost of Kingfield spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn.

Monday, Harry E. Mason entered the Maine General Hospital in Portland for observation.

Mr. and Mrs. David Burnham of North Andover, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean.

Mrs. Sarah King is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harriet H. Green at West Ossipee, N. H., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryant left today to visit their cousin, Elmer Gerald in Fairfield, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ordell Anderson and family are occupying the former Hamlin house on Church Street.

Miss Barbara Ann Davis of Wollaston, Mass., is a guest this week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbets.

Mrs. John Travers and daughter Beverly of Errol have been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. F. I. French.

Miss Francine Warren returned Wednesday after spending a few days with Miss Margaret Moore in Rumford.

All members of the Eastern Star are urged to be present at a meeting to be held Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Donald Stanley and infant daughter, Dawn Lee, returned Saturday from the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Drummond returned Monday night after spending several weeks with relatives in South Portland.

Mrs. Gertrude Durkee has returned to her home in Springfield, Mo., after spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Daniel Durell.

JIMMIE LYNCH INVENTS NEW THRILLS



JIMMIE LYNCH and his Death Dodgers, invading New England for the first time, will be a feature attraction at the Eastern States Exposition in Springfield, Mass., for a five-day circus of death each afternoon at the grandstand from Sunday, Sept. 17, to Thursday, Sept. 21, inclusive. Every thrill stunt known to the automotive world will be presented by Lynch and his daring associates in their death defying leaps, jumps, dashes and crashes of stock automobiles.

Miss Peggy Hanscom has returned from Wanock Girls' Camp at Jefferson, where she has been the past two months.

Mrs. Sabra McAllister of Bryant Pond spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. I. M. Kenerson at the home of G. N. Sanborn.

Miss Irene Day returned to her home in Lynn, Mass., Sunday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias S. Robinson have returned to their home in Wakefield, Mass., after spending the summer months in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hastings have been obliged to return to their home in Dorchester, Mass., because of the illness of their son.

Miss Kathryn Meagher of Philadelphia and Portsmouth, N. H., is the guest of Miss Rebecca Gordon at the home of Mrs. Custer Quimby this week.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Flu were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wheeler, Mrs. Nellie Walker and Robert Bruce, all of Amesbury, Mass.

Miss Phyllis Davis is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties at the Deaconess Hospital, Boston, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davis.

Friends of Perley Andrews are glad to learn that he able to be back at his work at Bethel Inn after an absence of several months because of illness.

Guests of Mrs. H. I. Bean this week at Camp Lacock are Alice Bean, David Bean, and Janice Miliken of Old Orchard Beach and Roland Jones of Auburn.

Carl and Carolyn Wight left Sunday for Thomaston, Conn., where they will visit Dr. Winsfield Wight. While there, they will visit the World's Fair in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gill are spending a ten day vacation with relatives in New Bedford, Mass. They will spend a few days in New York attending the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Spence of Brooklyn, N. Y., who have been visiting Mrs. Spence's sisters, Mrs. Frank Bartlett and Mrs. Herbert Tiff, returned home on Saturday.

Monday evening, 20 neighbors gathered at Mrs. Rena Foster's cottage, where they were entertained by moving pictures shown by Ralph S. Hall of East Milton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Richards and children, Clayton, Beverly and Otto, of Bath, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fuller. Beverly remained for a week's visit with the Fullers.

Betty's Butter and Egg Man

By MAY EVANS
(Associated Newspapers)
WWD Service.

want to work into a few local-color rural scenes I'm planning to show upstate. Those freckles of yours ought to register like a housewife. How about \$500 for a week's trip?"

Sullenly Kate Moore went about the tasks which usually the patient Betty performed. "It just doesn't seem fair for me to be slaving away in this hot kitchen while Betty stays away getting \$500 a week for two weeks for doing nothing."

"A thousand dollars is a nice piece of money," remarked Mr. Moore. "Betty told me she wanted the money to help fix up the old house on Tom's farm."

"Humph," sniffed Kate. "Let her get a taste of life with a movie outfit, and see how quick she forgets Tom."

Just two weeks from the day Betty Moore left Richland Junction, a tan-tanned young man in faded khaki paced up and down the station platform, a look of anxiety on his face. Betty was young—would her head be turned by the small fortune she had earned with her freckles?

"Well, of all the simpletons!" greeted Kate, as Betty entered the door of the Moore farmhouse, the tall, tanned Tom at her heels. "Here you got a real chance in the movies with one of the most important directors in the country and you haven't sense enough to make him take you on to Hollywood and give you a real job!"

"Mr. De Leon told me he thought I was the smartest girl he had ever known when I said I was going to take my thousand dollars and go straight home," cheerfully replied Betty.

"I'd like to know why," exclaimed Kate in astonishment. "Likely as not you would have caught on out west and landed some big butter-and-egg man instead of having to settle down in the sticks with Tom."

Tom grinned cheerfully as Betty smiled up in his face and said, "I should worry about catching on out west when I'm so popular at home. I'm going to buy a rose pink sink and rose pink mixing bowls and rose pink glass dishes and rose pink tablecloths, and have an electric motor to pump water into the house. And Tom is going to build me some lots bigger hen-houses so I can have bigger flocks, and he is going to stop shipping cream to the city and let me churn it instead, and I'm to have every penny of the butter and egg money."

A kindly smile puckering the corners of his mouth and making little crinkly wrinkles about his eyes, Mr. Moore said, "Looks as though Betty had landed a pretty good butter-and-egg man right here in Richland Junction."

TRUTH about ADVERTISING

By CHARLES B. ROTH

ADVERTISING'S NO MYSTERY

SOME of us remember well when John Slattery started in business. He couldn't have been over 25 and he had only a few hundred dollars in capital. But he did have a wife and two fine boys. He wanted to make them comfortable. He quit his job, went in on his own.

At first he would come to us and in his frank, likable way ask if we would buy from him. We liked John. It flattered us to have him invite us to become his customers. We began trading with him.

He treated us so considerately and so honestly; he gave us such good service; he was so grateful for our patronage, that we enjoyed being his customers. It made us feel good. Others felt the same way. His business grew.

Then he began asking more people to trade with him than he could reach in person. He had to run small advertisements in the newspaper, which he wrote himself after store hours.

As he grew larger he ran larger advertisements, and where in the beginning he had a handful of customers, now he had several hundred.



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He continued to advertise in the newspaper. His business continued to grow. He couldn't know all his customers by name now, of course, but they felt that they could buy from him with confidence because he had been recommended to them by another friend whom they had always trusted.

This other friend who recommended John Slattery was the newspaper which carried his advertising.

Whatever you read in the newspaper you naturally feel you can believe, because you know that a reputable newspaper will not accept advertising from any but honest and reliable concerns.

Because this young man starting in business made use of that aid he built his business. As his business grew he was able to give his customers better service and more for their money.

Although few of the persons reading his advertisements and becoming his customers realized it, they were all indebted to the newspaper for its service in bringing to their attention an opportunity of getting more for their money by publishing advertisements of this enterprising young man.

Advertising is serving us in this same way every day, by bringing information of where we can buy most advantageously, by helping us to find what we want at the lowest possible prices.

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BRYANT POND

Sunday, Aug. 27, was an ideal day for the Universalist Grove Meeting held at Dearborn's Grove. Rev. Warren B. Lovejoy of West Somerville, Mass., was the speaker at the forenoon service and Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes of the First Universalist Church of West Paris spoke in the afternoon. Music was rendered by the West Paris choir, Walter Human, and Reynold Chase. Picnic lunch was enjoyed in the Grove. There was a good attendance.

The Noyes Reunion was held at the home of Harry F. Noyes at Oxford Sunday. Several members of the Noyes family from here attended.

Mrs. Carl G. Dudley was ill last week. Mrs. Homer Farnum assisted in the store.

Homer Farnum's family and Mrs. Inez Whitman and daughters, Edith and Clara, called on Mrs. Bassie Ring and family Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Upfergraph, of Rochester, N. Y., are visitors of her cousin, Mrs. Frank Hayes.

Miss Marjorie Fuller spent last week with her cousin, Mrs. Everett Blake in Berlin.

Miss Arlene Swan was operated on for removal of tonsils at Dr. Corliss' home at West Paris Monday.

Leon Chase and sister Joan of Rumford, and their friends were callers Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Inez Whitman and family. Theodore Chase of Rumford was a weekend visitor there.

Otis Evans returned home Saturday night from Weld, where he has been employed in a Boys' Camp. Mr. and Mrs. Porter Swan and children went after him.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Walter Brown called on Mrs. Alden Wilson Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Barker and children called on Paul Croteau and family Thursday evening.

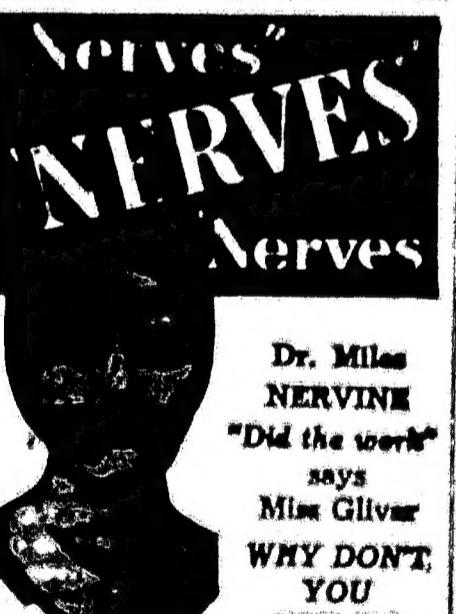
Mrs. Walter Brown and Mrs. Alden Wilson and children were in Rumford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Winslow, son Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Croteau and sons were in Norway and Harrison Saturday afternoon.

Bobby Ratney, who has been spending the summer with his father and grandmother has returned to Dorchester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Banks, nephew, Ralph Banks, and friends of Portland spent Sunday at J. F. Harrington's farm.

Harry Carter and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carter Sunday.



After more than three months of suffering from a nervous ailment, Miss Glivier used Dr. Miles Nervine which gave her such splendid results that she wrote us an enthusiastic letter.

If you suffer from "Nerves," if you lie awake nights, start at sudden noise, tire easily, are cranky, blue and fidgety, your nerves are probably out of order.

Quiet and relax them with the same medicine that "did the work" for this Colorado girl.

Whether your "Nerves" have troubled you for hours or for years, you'll find this time-tested remedy effective.

At Drug Stores 25c and \$1.00.

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SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Nina Steves of Hartland was at the home of Mrs. Steves' brother, Leon Felton, at Bridgton. Mrs. Jessie Andrews and other Stanley Franklin Barrett friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis denied on Monday to learn of the company with Mr. and Mrs. Robert passing of Stanley Franklin Bartholomew and little daughter of rett.

Auburn, spent the week-end at Rangeley Lakes.

He had been ill since last Friday and on Monday he was taken to the Rumford Community Hospital, where he passed away at five o'clock, following an operation.

Stanley was the only son of Joe Callers Monday at the home of sep and Evelyn Coffin Barrett and of A. M. Andrews were Mrs. Frank was born in Bryant Pond on May Curtis and daughter of Guildhall, 7, 1929. He would have entered the Vt., and Mrs. Eva Titus of South fifth grade at Union School this Paris.

all. He was a seven point pupil and had not missed a day of school or been tardy for three years. He was always of sunny disposition with a cheerful smile for everyone and was a member of the Juvenile Grange at West Paris.

Besides his parents he leaves to McAllister of South Paris; Miss mourn his passing, a grandmother, Agnes Grey, Mrs. Evelyn Grey, Mrs. G. W. Barrett, Rumford; West Paris; and Mrs. Nina Felton grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coffin, Bryant Pond; uncles, aunts and several cousins.

Frank Andrews, A. M. Andrews, O. W. Robbins and John Titus with Funeral services were held at H. M. Andrews were on a motor Andrews Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiated.

other points of interest.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiated.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Harlan Andrews and guest, Mrs. Nina Steves, were recent callers at the home of Mrs. Steves' brother, Leon Felton, at Bridgton. Several family reunions were held Sunday and families attended. Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Ring, Wendall Ring, Mrs. Glendine Collette and daughter Patricia went to James Ring's at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Benson attended a family gathering at Walter Appleby's, Woodstock; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gammon, Ernest Gammon and Clayton Gammon attended a family reunion at North Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard T. Chase were guests of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stearns, of Hebron at their summer home in Rangeley over Sunday.

LOCKE MILLS

Robert and Edith Kenniston of West Paris are visiting relatives for a few days.

Miss Hazel Sails is at Five Islands for a week.

Mary Dorian is visiting relatives at Andover.

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STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinabove named:
At a Probate Court, held at Rumford in and for the County of Oxford, on the fourth Tuesday of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, from day to day from the fourth Tuesday of said August. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinabove indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of September, A. D. 1939, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Charles H. Cole, late of Gilead, deceased; Will and Petition for the appointment of Russell Cole and Shirley M. Cole as Administrators with the Will annexed, without bond, presented by Russell Cole and Shirley M. Cole, Son and Daughter.

Hersey E. Fernald, late of Bethel, deceased; Twelfth trust account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, trustee.

John E. Morse, late of Hanover, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Edna G. Morse as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Edna G. Morse, the executrix therein named.

Lucetta B. Pierce, late of Woodstock, deceased; First account presented for allowance by Francis A. Bean, executor.

William J. Upson, late of Bethel, deceased; Fifth account presented for allowance by Nina H. Upson, administratrix.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Rumford this fourth Tuesday of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine.

27 EARL R. CLIFFORD, Register.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Exr. of the estate of Fred E. Gordon late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

GERARD S. WILLIAMS
Bethel, Maine

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ROWE HILL

Albert Ring and Wilmer Bryant are cutting bushes on the town road.

Camp Sebowisha closed its 13th season Monday. Many of the girls entertained their parents at the camp over the week-end.

Mrs. Albert Felt has been papering for Mrs. Mont Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom, also Lester Cole and family were at E. L. Dunham's Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ring and family visited at N. A. Bryant's Sunday. Mrs. Ring remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lang and son Merl were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom Sunday.

Winnie Hanscom was in Norway Monday.

WEST BETHEL

Miss Esther Mason spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mason.

Mrs. Arthur Frost and son Kenneth from Dixfield called on Mrs. Cleve Bell one day last week.

The friends of Mrs. Ithial Kenerson, who broke her hip two weeks ago, will be pleased to know she is very comfortable at the home of her son, G. N. Sanborn, in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burris, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland, daughter Mary, and Mrs. Clara Abbott were in Augusta Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Morrill of Norway were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy Sunday.

Members of the Union Chapel Choir sang at the Gilead church services last Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Seabury of Worcester, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Althea Whitman.

Tommie Hayes of Gilead has been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett.

Mrs. Joseph Perry spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Harland Shaw at Paris Hill.

Ithial Kenerson is being cared for at the home of his sister, Mrs. Arthur Frost, in Dixfield.

UPTON

Rev. Earl Greenlaw of Mansfield, Mass., supplied the pulpit Sunday. He is candidates for this Parish.

Mrs. Flora Cummings of Oxford is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. L. Judkins.

Miss Helen Abbott of New York City has returned to her work, after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Cora Abbott.

James Barnett, son Gordon and Howard Douglass of this town, with Harry Little of Errol, N. H., are attending the World's Fair this week.

Deputy Davis attended the regular Grange meeting Friday evening. Discussion of the European question was carried on among the men.

The Young People under the direction of Mr. Manter and Mr. Kéunér are rehearsing for a play, "The Path Across the Hill," to be given Friday evening.

THE**BETHEL****NATIONAL****BANK**

BETHEL, MAINE

IN BUSINESS

SINCE 1905

Member F. D. L. C.

GILEAD

Miss Belle Holt and Mrs. Mabel McKay of Norway visited friends in town Tuesday.

M. F. Roberts, Dept. Shop Inspector, of the Bartlett Central Repair, Bartlett, N. H., was a business visitor in town Monday.

Mrs. Alberta Burgess and Miss Doris Porter of Berlin were guests of Mrs. Florence Holden Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Gross of West Paris was a recent guest of Mrs. Harrlette Fissette.

Edward Witter has returned to South America after spending his vacation at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Corey of Norway spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wight.

Mrs. Florence Holden and son Clayton were in Bartlett, N. H., Friday.

Miss Shirley Cole entertained friends from Camp Hitinawa Monday. The party included Mrs. Elizabeth Spear, Portland; Miss Constance Blake, Brookton, Mass.; Miss Ruth E. Smith, Boston, and Miss Marguerite Shaw of South Paris. Miss Shaw is remaining for a few days.

Douglas Daniels returned to the home of Mrs. Fred Wight. New York Saturday after spending for a few days.

Rodney Hanscom has gone to West Bethel to work.

Miss Ellen Peabody has completed her duties at the Evans Notch Lodge.

Mrs. Beatrice Noyes of Gorham, N. H., was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Marion Cole.

Rupert Potter returned to his home in Strong Sunday after spending the summer with his uncle, Russell Cole, at the Evans Notch Lodge.

Mrs. Josephine Cole of Gray was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leighton.

John McBride was in Gorham, N. H., Saturday.

NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blake are spending the week in Boston. Miss Amy Bennett and Miss Virginia Blake accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vail and a group of young people spent Sunday at Songo Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hanscom had for company Sunday Mrs. Robert Cole, Misses Hazel and Ruth Hanscom, all of Locke Mills.

The Church Circle served a baked bean and pastry supper to the Men's Club Thursday night. The supper was served out of doors at

Douglas Daniels returned to the home of Mrs. Fred Wight. New York Saturday after spending for a few days.

Rodney Hanscom has gone to West Bethel to work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ferren and Miss Barbara Ginnis of North Rumford, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Herrick of Bethel enjoyed a picnic dinner at Screw Auger Falls Sunday.

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MRS. JULIAETTE F. CURTIS

Mrs. Juliaette F. Curtis, widow of Hannibal Curtis, died Tuesday at the Odd Fellows Home in Auburn, where she had been an inmate for the past eight years.

She was the daughter of Simon and Ruth Chase Fickett and was born in Woodstock June 12, 1859. Relatives surviving are a niece, Mrs. Lottie Curtis; a grand-niece, Mrs. Marion Mayhew; and a grand-nephew, Harold Fickett of Rumford.

She was a member of Onward Rebekah Lodge and Granite Chapter, G. E. S. She attended the Universalist Church when a resident of West Paris, where nearly all of her life has been spent.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock at the First Universalist Church. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes will officiate. Interment will be in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

IRENE THELMA YATES

Irene Thelma, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Yates, died at the C. M. G. Hospital Wednesday, Aug. 23, where she was taken for oxygen treatment from the nursing home of Mrs. Roy Perham, aged one day. The baby weighed 1½ pounds at birth.

Prayer service was held at Wayside Cemetery Thursday afternoon at one o'clock. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiated.

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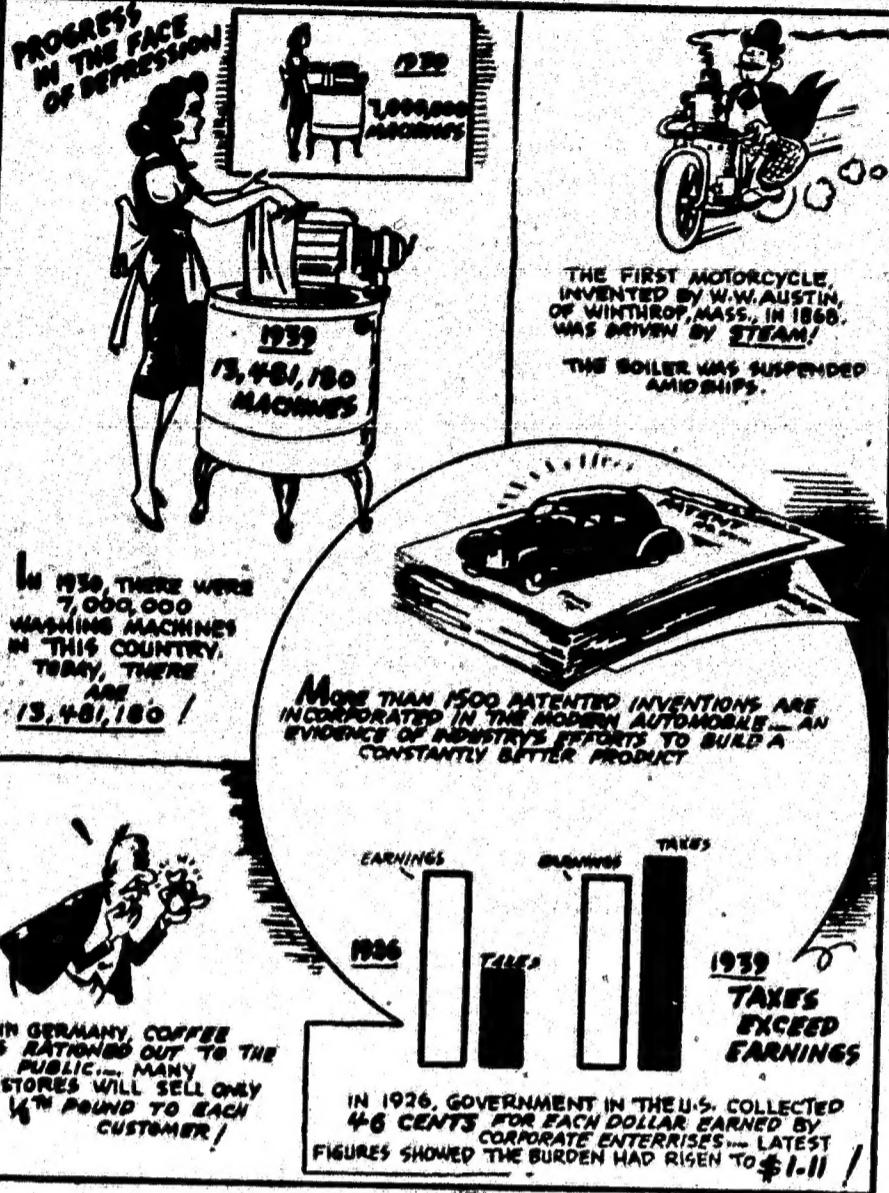
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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, September 3

10' CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister

11:00 a. m. Morning worship,

Sermon subject, "Work and Labor."

A very cordial welcome to our summer guests.

Junior Choir rehearsal Saturday evening.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor

9:45 Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, superintendent. Study

God's word for a few minutes each Sunday.

11:00 Sunday Morning Worship, Special singing by Choir, John An-

ders and Ruth Chase Fickett and was derson, leader. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist. Labor Day sermon sub-

ject, "The Battle for Bread."

6:30 Epworth League.

Church School picnic Labor Day at Sandy Beach.

Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do we even so to them; for this is the law and the prophets Matt. 7:12.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock,

Services Sunday morning at 10:45

"Man" is the subject of the Los-

son-Sermon that will be read in all

churches of Christ, Scientist, on

Sunday, Sept. 3.

The Golden Text is: "God cre-

ated man in his own image, in the

image of God created he him" (Genesis 1: 27).

The citations from the Bible in-

clude the following passages:

"And God said, Let us make man

in our image, after our likeness;

and let them have dominion over

the fish of the sea, and over the

fowl of the air, and over the cat-

tle, and over all the earth, and over

every creeping thing that creepeth

upon the earth" (Genesis 1: 26).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes

passages from the Christian Sci-

ence textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by

Mary Baker Eddy.

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

UNION CHAPEL, WEST BETHEL

Orrin A. Manifold, Minister

Sunday will mark the last regu-

lar services of the summer season

at Union Chapel. The sacraments

of baptism and communion will be

administered at the 11:00 o'clock

service. Several children will be

presented for baptism. The min-

ister's subject will be "The Gates

of the Temple." There will be a

business meeting of the Church in

the church parlor at 10:30, pre-

NATIONAL FOREST TO HAVE FAIR EXHIBIT

Oxford County Fair will again hold the enviable position as the leading fair in the State for Grange, Boy Scouts, 4-H Clubs and individual exhibits.

With every available inch of space reserved in the Exhibition Hall by four Granges and a juvenile Grange, the Boy Scouts, and 4-H Clubs of Oxford County, as well as individual exhibitors of vegetables and farm products raised this season, dairy products, canned goods, fruits, needlework, quilts, rugs, paintings and novelty collections, assures this fact.

Charles W. Bowker, who is observing his 25th year as superintendent of the Exhibition Hall, has made a special effort to make the exhibition one that will be recorded as the best in the history of the fair. In arranging the space and displays Mr. Bowker has been assisted by Elmore C. Edmunds, who was appointed to the Board of Trustees this year.

These two men are reviving a custom that was popular at Oxford County Fair a number of years ago, and that is to have the Exhibition Hall open until 10:30 each evening of the fair. This will provide an opportunity to patrons, who are unable to attend the fair during the day time, to see the best that is grown and made in Oxford County.

Mr. Bowker has arranged for an educational exhibit that should prove of interest to every adult and child that attends the fair. One of the buildings near the Exhibition Hall has been set aside for the White Mountain National Forest exhibition. A modern fire fighting engine equipped with material for 50 men will be stationed outside of the building. Inside of the building will be Forest Rangers to explain the methods used by the Forest Service in its fire prevention, detection and suppression. Illustrations and maps

will be used to give a graphic picture of the splendid work that is being done to preserve as nearly as possible the natural environment of the 887,377 acres that make up the White Mountain National Forest in Maine and New Hampshire.

Tuesday evening a young people's council meeting is planned to make plans for the year's program.

The Circle suppers in Stoneham

have been cancelled until the first week in October. As is the custom the Ladies of Stoneham take the month of September for their Circle vacation.

Friday is the regular date for the Circle supper in Lovell.

Mr. Bicket and his family are now enjoying their vacation in New York. They are due to back with us again about the 20th of September.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the prompt and efficient work of the Bethel fire department and the timely assistance of our neighbors at the fire which nearly destroyed our home last Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haines

Reading, Priscilla Ring

Tap dance, Misses Sheryl and

Beryl Ring, West Paris

Vocal duet,

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ring

Duet, Mrs. Ethel Dunn and Mrs.

Minnie Herrick, Norway

Reading, Mrs. Florence Ring

Vocal solo,

Daniel Ring, South Paris

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